

FREDERICK O. ELLISON

MR. PRESIDENT: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Frederick O. Ellison, begs leave to submit the following report:

Mr. Frederick O. Ellison was born in New York City, July 4, 1853, and died at his home in Anamosa, Iowa, Saturday, October 5, 1944, at the age of 91. He was married to Anna Elida McCutcheon of Indianola, Iowa, in 1875, who died December 8, 1927, and again married to Vorinda Abbott of London, Canada, in 1930, who survives him.

Mr. Ellison studied at Simpson College, read law in the office of Hunter and Williamson, and was admitted to the bar in 1874. After being admitted to the bar he began practice in Clinton, Iowa, and a year later moved to Wyoming, Iowa, and in 1889 moved to Anamosa, Iowa, where he resided until his death.

He was always interested in civic affairs. He served as councilman and mayor of Anamosa and Jones county attorney from 1887 until 1893, state representative from 1894 to 1896 and state senator from the Jones-Cedar county district from 1896 to 1900; served thirty-two years on the district court bench, from 1906 to 1938.

All of Judge Ellison's service in a public capacity was characterized as of the highest quality. The faithfulness in his public trust was an inspiration to those who enjoyed his acquaintance.

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the Fiftieth General Assembly of Iowa in Regular Session, That in the passing of Judge Ellison the state mourns the loss of an honored citizen, a man of strong and excellent character, a public servant of the highest type and that by this resolution the senate of Iowa extends its sympathy to his family.

Be It Further Resolved, That this memorial resolution be printed in the Journal of the Senate and that the Secretary be directed to send copies of the same to the members of the family of the deceased.

EDWIN C. SCHLUTER,
FRANK D. MARTIN,
O. H. HENNINGSEN,
FRANK C. BYERS,
LEROY S. MERCER,

Committee.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

 JOSEPH R. FRAILEY

MR. PRESIDENT: Your committee, appointed to prepare suitable resolutions commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Honorable Joseph R. Frailey, begs leave to submit the following:

Joseph R. Frailey was born in Fort Madison, Iowa, March 2, 1876, and was a lifelong resident of that community. He was graduated from Fort Madison high school in 1893; from the college of liberal arts of the State University of Iowa in 1898, and from the college of law of the Univer-

sity in 1900. He was a member of Phi Kappa Psi and Phi Delta Phi fraternities.

He was employed for about five years in the legal department of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad, and then took up the practice of law in Fort Madison, serving as city solicitor from 1905 to 1914.

He was married October 20, 1905, to Miss Genevieve Albright.

During the Spanish American War he served as lieutenant in Company F, Fiftieth Iowa Infantry, United States Volunteers.

Mr. Frailey represented Lee county in the State Senate for sixteen years from 1914 until 1922, and from 1926 until 1934. He was a very active, able and popular member. He served as a director of the Cattermole Library in Fort Madison for twelve years.

He was a member of the Lee County and Iowa Bar Associations, the State Historical Society, B.P.O.E. Lodge 374, and A. F. & A. M. 440

Mr. Frailey passed away October 6, 1944, at his home in Fort Madison. He is survived by his wife and a sister, Margaret S. Frailey.

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the Fifty-first General Assembly, That in the passing of Senator Frailey the state has lost an able man of strong character and all who served with him in the Senate have lost a real friend.

Be It Further Resolved, That this resolution be printed in the Memorial section of the Journal of the Senate, and that copies be sent to the surviving wife and sister.

STANLEY L. HART,
ALDEN L. DOUD,
FRED CROMWELL,
HARLAN C. FOSTER,
J. R. BARKLEY,

Committee.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

JOHN H. JACKSON

MR. PRESIDENT: Your committee, appointed to prepare suitable resolutions commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Honorable John H. Jackson of Sioux City, Iowa, begs leave to submit the following:

John H. Jackson was born in the village of Albany, Green county, Wisconsin, June 30, 1863. He was of English descent, his parents emigrating from Yorkshire, England, to Wisconsin at an early date. He attended Ripon College at Ripon, Wisconsin, and moved to Jefferson, Iowa, in 1894, where he studied law and was deputy clerk of the courts of Greene county, Iowa. In 1888 he graduated from the law department of the State University of Iowa. He began the practice of law in Sioux City in 1890, where he continued in practice during the remainder of his life. He was active in Republican organizations and was chairman of both city and county central committees for several terms. He was elected Senator in 1903 and served in the Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second General Assemblies.